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Winter Celery, 4 inches long, exquisite.

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Everything that is first-class for the table.

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NO JURISDICTION IN SMELTER RATE CASE

vernment Attorney Volun- Commerce Commission Tells Irrigation Project to Involve Status in Anaconda Copper Company Complaint.

portland. Dec. 22.—All charges ginst Binger Hermann, former consists Binger Hermann, former commerce commission and former commissioner of the general land office, growing out to the commission holds that it is without furisdiction over shipments or rates for a period of more than two years beyond that fixed by the statute.

Complaint was brought to the commission by the Anazonda Copper Mining company of Montana against the Erie rallroad and many after castern carriers of the rates on coke from the West Virginia and Pennsylvania coke ovens to the Montana smelters. At the time of the Montana smelters are the time of the complaint the different defendant lines maintained two separate rates on coke from the ovens to Chicago, a rate of \$2.65 per net ton on coke and a rate of \$2.65 per net ton on coke for use in blast furnaces for smelting iron from ores."

In its decision the examination of many thousands of dollers and the commission affecting smelters in the Rocky mountain region to the extent of many thousands of dollers an intensity the commission holds that it is without furnission to the extent of many thousands of dollers and the commission holds that it is without furnission holds that it is wit

blast furnaces for smelting iron from ores."

In its decision the commission further holds "the rate is \$2.65 per net ton applying on coke was and is a lower rate for the services performed and that the maintenance of a lower rate on coke for use in blast furnaces for smelting iron from the ores, while improper, did not subject the complainants to undue discrimination and is not the basis for awards of damage in these cases."

Further, it is held that "smelters of copper and of iron do not compete in any proper or ordinary sense of the term and the complainants have suffered no damage."

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The complainant asked reparation up-on the ground that the maintenance of the two separate rates upon the same commodity at the same time from the ovens to Chicago was an undue discrim-ination.

Unimpeachable.

If you were to see the unequaled volume of unimpeachable testimony in favor of Hood's Sarsaparilla, you would upbraid yourself for so long delaying to take this effective alterative and tonic medicine for that blood disease

from which you are suffering.

It eradicates scrofula and all other humors and cures all their inward and

Affirms Mining Decision.

HELENA. Mont. Dec. 22.—The su-preme court today affirmed the decision of the district court of Jefferson counts in the case of Street and others agains the Delta Mining company, a controversy over a mining claim.

Spring Chickens. . . 25c lb

Expenditure of Almost Five Millions of Dollars.

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Dec. 22.-An irrigation project which will bring under cultivation the greatest tract of land in northern Mexico, and outrival the Roosevell launched. At the head of the enterprise is the Yaqui River Land and Irrigation company, the American title of which is

company, the American title of which is
the Richardson Construction company,
and in which are identified John Hays
Hammond, Harry Payne Whitney and the
B. O. Flower estate of New York.
These capitalists have acquired title to
750,000 acres of land in the valley of the
Yaqui river, long famed for its fertility.
Of this tract half a million acres can be
put under irrigation, and in addition to
the company's holdings, there are lands
totaling another half million acres, which
also can be irrigated from the great res-

calculated to construct a concrete breast wall 185 feet high, and this height will back the waters up the Bavispe river a distance of forty-five miles.

distance of forty-five miles.

The water never ceases to flow in the Yaqui, but in the periods of drought the flow is not sufficient to irrigate such a large tract, hence the necessity of a great storage reservoir. It is estimated that the project will cost \$4,500,000, and this fund, it is stated, will be advanced by the Mexican government, to be redeemed by the cost of irrigation.

Electricity will be generated for use throughout Sonora and southern Arizona.

If you are suffering from bilious ness, constipution, indigestion, chronic headache, invest one cent in a postal card, send to Chamberlain Medicine Co. Des Moines, Ia., with your name and address plainly on the back, and they will forward you a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. Sold by all dealers.

New Incorporations

Filed with the secretary of state: Trenton Irrigation company of Logan, carry on a general irrigation business; capital stock, \$400,000 in \$10 tares. John A. Hendrickson, president, R. Miles, Jr., first vice president; sin Q. Adams, second vice president; outs S. Cardon, secretary and treasurer.

Utah Aerial Navication and Power ompany, of Springville, to deal in airchips and other mechanical devices of itse nature, with other propelling mahinery, in connection with a patent for
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Flangan, president; J. D. Bagley, vice
president; W. B. McPherson, secretary
oud treasurer.

fames Coal and Ice company, of Og-n; amendment, increasing the capital ock from \$50,000 to \$100,000 in \$1

Filed with the county clerk: Western Land company, owning a large rea of land in Blaine county, Idaho, and ther property; capital stock, \$25,000 in I shares. George H. Dern, president arch J. Touriellotte, vice president and Yech J. Tourtellotte, vice president and reasurer; Lottie R. Dern, secretary. Green River Valley Orchards company, wining lands and water rights at Green River, Emery county; capital stock \$59,-90 in \$100 shares, Directors—Doran Per-ine, Jesse M. French, J. F. Spiker, W. A. Kulp and F. G. Porter.

HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS

Via Oregon Short Line.

Low exertsion rates between tions on its line on Dec. 23, 24, 25, 26, 31, Jan. 1, 2. Return limit January 9. CITY TICKET OFFICE, 156 Main St.

POPULATIONS OF IOWA AND SOUTH DAKOTA TOWNS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—Population attatics of the thirteenth census insueday by the census bureau included the

18,197 oth Dukota:

Expert Kodak Finishing. Shiplers, commercial photographers, 151 South Main street, second floor.

EMERGENCY CURRENCY PLAN ADOPTED BY BANKS

WASHINGTON. Dec. 22—A national currency association was formed by the national banks of Cinciunati today and the chain of fourteen banking district authorized to issue Additional currency in an emergency was completed. Secretary MacVeagh's plan of protecting the money centers, as well as the Addrich-Vreeland act will permit, in now complete. Nearly every banking district cust of Denver is protected. There is now a movement to bring the banks of the Pacific coast into the plan.

Stimson's Cafe

has again opened at No. 2460 Grant avenue. About the neatest cafe in Og-

Believe Steamer Lost.

BIAMPURG, Dec. 22. The Prench steamer Savena, owned by Sloman & Co., of this city, is believed to have been lost with her crew of twenty-one while bound from this port for Naples. The Savena is a sister ship of the Palermo, which was recently lost.

ONE GOOD JOB BRINGS TWO. That's why the Century continues to

Turkey for Thanksgiving Roast goose and apple sauce in the proper thing for Christmas and New Year's.

Four Million Poles Used.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 22.—During the year 1909 there were 2.739,000 telegraph and telephone poles used in this country, according to a report of the census bureau, which was published today. Sixty-five per cent of the poles were cedar and 16 per cent chestnut.

Picture Sale.

25 per cent off on all framed pic tures and art calendars. George W. Ebert & Co., 41 Main.



Come in Forenoon



THE STORE FOR TOYS

Store Open Tonight

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TOYS

The better class of framed pictures at THE STORE FOR DOLLS half prices.

Many special prices in furniture.

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Christmas post cards, 1c each.

Christmas cards and New Year cards, regular 3c, 5c, 8c and 10c, for 1c each.

75c Christmas booklets, 50c.

Christmas perfumes in Xmas boxes, half price.

Christmas candies, worth 40c pound, for 25c pound.

Beaded bags, very popular, ONE-FOURTH LESS.

Christmas stationery, HALF PRICE.

Gilt mesh bags, ONE - FOURTH LESS.

Xmas Handkerchiefs

Daintily packed, an impression is made the minute it is opened. And that is why box handkerchiefs are in demand.

Pancy box handkerchiefs from 50e to \$4.00 a box. Children's box handkerchiefs, including the initial, colored bordered, trunks, bags, puzzle games, hand satchels, etc.

hand satchels, etc.
Initial bandkerchiefs in a variety of styles, six in a box, all pure linen. Special, \$1.
A large assortment of hand-kerchiefs in many styles, including Madeira, Duchess, Armenian and Covent Embroidery, from 35c to \$15.00.
Initial handkerchiefs

Initial handkerchiefs in a va-riety of different styles, Madeira. Armenian and Embroidery, initial handkerchiefs, from 20c to \$1.50

Fancy scarfs in Persian, Egyptian, Spanish lace, tinseled, crepe and mull, from 50e to \$25.00.

Box neckwear, one collar and jabot in box, from 35e to \$2.50

Marabou scarfs, in black, nat ural, white, sky, pink and gray, from \$4.00 to \$15.00. Ostrich searfs in black, gray, sky and pink, from \$19.00 to \$12.50.

Presents for Boys Sweater coats.

Suits. Toques. Dress shirts. a Dresa Blouses

Sweaters.

Infants

Coats, sweaters, toques. Sweater coats, leggins.

Gifts for Girls Coats, dresses, cloaks, skating coats, receers, skating toques and tams, sweater coats, bats. For Sister and Mother

and Sweetheart White aprons. Quilted house silk shawls. Heatherbloom petticoats. House gowns. jackets. Silk petticoats. White petticoats

Bath robes. Strict Economy for

Years Has often been necessary in order to purchase what has now be-come a household necessity, viz., a good sewing machine.

We offer you a Triumph sewing machine, which is as good a sewing machine as is made in America today, bar none. Through our club plan, only \$1 is necessary to own this machine immediately, then \$1 per week until fully.

to own this machine immediately, then \$1 per week until fully paid for. Please do not confuse this offer with the ordinary installment proposition, for it has no relation to it. The machine it self will do anything that any other make of machine will. We know this positively, else we would never in the world put it out with a few year guarantee. out with a ten year guarantee, which we unhesitatingly do. These machines are known the world over by a different name and sell at about twice our price.

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BOOKS

THE STORE FOR WOMEN

For the Boy-For the Girl

Our boys' and girls' department offers late shoppers a great variety of practical, economical and appropriate gifts for tomorrow's great event.

> We call your attention to the following items without comment further than to say these articles are the very best of their class to be had, and the reductions are such as we usually make only after the first of the year.

BOYS' WINTER SUITS.

Sold all season at four fifty to five dollars, now \$2.95.

100 boys' suits-finest handtailored quality; regular ten to twelve dollar values; choice\$6.95

BOYS' WINTER OVER-COATS.

Sizes, 5 to 12 years; values up to \$5.00, now \$2.95 Sizes, 5 to 16 years; values up to \$8.00, now \$4.95

BOYS' SWEATERS AND SWEATER COATS.

blouses, etc.

GIRLS' BEAVER HATS.

Hats, caps, toques, shirts,

Our entire line on sale-up to \$5.00, now\$2.95

Up to \$10.00, now. . . \$3.95 Girls' wool toques and tans.

> Will Please Her Immensely

Opera glass bag Imported bag. Seal music roll. Seal bag. Dainty card case. Beautiful bandcar Beautiful bandeau
Brilliant brooch, Brilliant hat pra.
Fountain pen Silk jewel bag.
Beautiful necklace. Book.
Imported fan with pearl sticks.
Pair of opera glasses.
Beautiful jewel box.
Pawder box of starlian silvar. Powder box of sterling silver. Large box of candy. Fancy mounted barrettes. Peautiful belt buckle. Mesh bag of German silver. Traveling companion.

Large bottle of imported perfume.

Box of stationery.

Patrological Belt pin. Brooch.

To Please Baby Xmas Infants' Veil,

Bootees. Mittens. Bonnets Angora heed. Infants' shawls. Infants' toilet sets. Pibs, hand and machine made Hand and machine made dresses Infants' carriage robe Krinkledown blankets Hund embroidered cashmere

GIRL'S WINTER COATS. Sizes, 2 to 6, values to \$6.00:

now ... \$2.95 Sizes 2 to 6, values to \$10.00; now\$4.95 Sizes 8 to 12, values to \$10;

now \$4.95 The above coats are all new-this season's purchases and the materials are all wool cloths, in red, blue, brown and tan shades.

BLACK PLUSH AND CAR-ACAL COATS.

2 to 6 years, \$5.00 to \$12.00 8 to 14 years, \$8.00 to \$15.00 JUNIOR MISSES' BLACK COATS.

Sizes, 13, 15, 17.

Girls and Junior misses' winter dresses, 25 per cent discount off regular price. Girls' sweater coats—a spe cial holiday line of fine goods.

One of These for Him Seal collar bag. Seal cuff holder.

Nicket tie holder. Seal bill book. Seal pass case. Manicure set. Bridge set. Book. Scarf pin case. Safety razor. Shaving mirror. Fountain pen. Meerschaum pipe. French briar pipe. Amber pipe. Box of stationery, Scarf pin. Fair of cuff links, Hammered brass desk set. Hat and clothes brush set. Traveling toilet case, Leather auto muffler.
Set of trouser and cont hangers.
Match safe of sterling silver.
Cigarette case of sterling silver.
Combination set of both the above Cigar case of sterling silver. Pair of military brushes. Set of links and scarf pin.

Xmas Reminders

Piblion handkerehief bags. Fancy handkerehief bags. Bedroom shippers.
Fancy baby rattles.
Pin cushions. Vanity bags.
Lot bags. Coat hangers. Bedroom slippers, Fancy garters Suchet bags. Coat Taleum powder cases. Pin cushions. Ribbon corset cases Opera bags.

the Crowds Come

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Children's fans; regular 50c, for 25c.

An odd lot of jewelry, waist pins, brooches, searf pins, worth up to 50c, choice, 10c.

A beautiful line of brass desk sets, book, racks, twine holders. letter cases, files and blotters, HALF PRICE.

Furs at half prices.

A few pieces of sterling silver and German silver toilet sets, HALF PRICE.

Children's drinking cups, HALP PRICE.

Solid gold jewelry, searf pins, brooches and cuff links, ONE-FOURTH LESS.

A handsome line of ladies' leather hand bags, ONE-FOURTH LESS.

Xmas Gifts--the Floor Below

Our line of high grade cut glass is as quite complete. We aim to sell cut glass cheaper than other houses.

"Monks" stein sets, very rensonable in price, make very fine presents.

Imported German clocks in sil ver, brouse and gun metal; value \$1.00; special, 49c each.

Our dinnerware complete in both Haviland and other china. See our 100 piece Haviland dinner sets; they are beauties, and at very low prices.

We handle a large stock of Rogers' silverware -- knives. forks, speons, cream ladles, soup ladles, pickle forks, ice cream forks, orange spoons, butter knives, pic knives, childs' sets, special 25c each; baby spoons.

Embroideries

Semi-litted corset cover em-broidery, 75c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.59,

Embroidery shirt waist fronts, corset cover embroidery by the yard-25c to \$1.00.

Xmas Ribbons

Ribbon in plain, Persian, moire and Dresden; exceptionally good values; prices, 50c, 35c, 25c, 19c

Xmas ribben, 10c, 25c bolt-

Christmas Hosiery Dainty lisle hose.

Italian silk vests. Silk hose. Italian silk hose. Swiss ribbed fancy lisle vests.

Gift Gloves

Our gloves carry the assurance of absolute satisfaction in style and service. Gloves are always an acceptable gift. Certificates will be given.

Xmas Sweater Coats

For Christmas. All the new ideas shown, long and short cont sweat-ers; college sweaters for girls in all the desirable shades. We carry a large line and a range of prices from \$1.95 to \$15.00.

Xmas Scarfs

Egyptian scarfs, white and silver, \$5.00 to \$6.00 values; special, \$3.50 each.

Persian searfs in the pretty light shades, \$2.00 values; special \$1.75.

Tinsel scarfs, in white, \$1.00 value; special, 85c each. Box ruching, 6 assorted ruches, 25c and 50c box.

Mufflers in all the leading shades, 25c and 50c each.

Suits, dresses and evening gowns make a desirable Christ-mas present, and can be purchased at a very low figure.

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